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## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated April 1, 2008 be extended for a period of 2 months from July 1, 2008 to September 2, 2008 (Monday, September 1, 2008 being a Federal holiday). The required fee for the extension is estimated to be \$460.

Respectfully submitted.

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